

REMARKS:

The Examiner is thanked for the indication that claims 8-18 and 20-22 would be allowable if amended to overcome the rejection under 35 U.S.C. §112, 2nd paragraph. Accordingly, Applicant has amended claim 8 in clarification. Claims 1-7 have been canceled. No new matter has been added.

Applicant submits that the amendments herein place the application in condition for allowance. Therefore, Applicant respectfully requests entry of the amendments and allowance of all pending claims.

It is believed that no fee is due with this submission. Should that determination be incorrect, then please debit Account No. 50-0548 and notify the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'W. C. Schrot', written in a cursive style.

William C. Schrot
Registration No. 48,447
Attorney for Applicants

Berenato, White & Stavish, LLC
6550 Rock Spring Drive, Ste. 240
Bethesda, Maryland 20817
Telephone: (301) 896-0600
Facsimile: (301) 896-0607